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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This communication is responsive to the non-final Office Action, mailed May 4, 2005, regarding the above-identified patent application. Please amend claims 17 and 22 as shown in the following claim listing. Allowance of claims 1-23 in view of the following remarks, is respectfully requested.